

REMARKS

Claims 50, 53-56, 59-64, and 66 are pending in the present application.

Claims 1-49, 51, 52, 57, 58, 65, and 67-96 were previously canceled.

Claims 50 and 55 are amended herein.

Support for the amendment of Claims 50 and 55 is provided by the corresponding claims as previously presented, as well as the original claims and specification as filed. Specifically, Claims 50 and 55 are amended to remove (8) aryloxy from the list of alternatives for R<sup>35</sup> and R<sup>36</sup>.

No new matter has been added by the present amendments.

Applicants submit that the present application is now in condition for allowance.

Early notification of such action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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